[*English*]

Air Cargo Complex at Calicut Airport

1934. SHRI V.S. VIJAYARAGHAVAN: Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION AND TOURISM be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government have any plan to set up an Air Cargo Complex at the Calicut Airport in Kerala; and

(b) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF CIVIL AVIATION AND TOURISM (SHRI MADHAVRAO SCINDIA): (a) and (b). The Government has no plan to construct an integrated air cargo complex in the Calicut airport at present. The National Airports Authority has offered to construct and manage the complex if the concerned State Government agencies could meet the construction costs thereon.

[*Translation*]

Expansion of Sonepat Station Platform

1935. SHRI DHARAMPAL SINGH MALIK: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is any proposal for the expansion of plateform and to increase the length of the existing shed at Sonepat railway station; and

(b) if so, time by which the said proposal is likely to be implemented?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI MALLIKARJUN): (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

Fire Accident at Sonepat Station

1936. SHRI DHARAMPAL SINGH MALIK: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) the total loss occurred due to arson in 1990 at the Sonepat Railway Station and the amount spent to make it operational; and

(b) the steps proposed to be taken to protect the Railway stations from such incidents in future?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI MALLIKARJUN): (a) Loss on account of arson at Sonepat Railway Station in 1990 is estimated to be about Rs. 19 lakhs. The amount spent to make it operational is about Rs. 12.5 lakhs.

(b) Depending upon the threat perception, the security arrangements for protecting Railway property are made in coordination with State Police authorities.

[*English*]

Bed Capacity of Government Hospitals in Delhi

1937. SHRI JEEWAN SHARMA: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) the number of bed capacity in the All India Institute of Medical Sciences (AIIMS), Safdarjung, and Dr. Ram Manohar Lohia Hospitals and the number of patients actually admitted, ward wise during the last three months;

(b) whether there is any proposal to increase the bed capacity of AIIMS, and Safdarjung Hospital;

(c) if so, the details thereof;